

REMARKS

Favorable reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

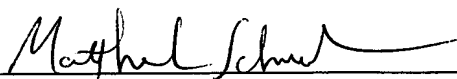
The foregoing amendments to Claims 7 and 8 are submitted to change the dependency of each claim. Entry of these claim amendments is necessary to avoid having such claims improperly depend from themselves. This Amendment was not earlier presented as these typographical errors were just recently recognized. It is believed that consideration and entry of this Amendment will not involve a substantial amount of additional work on the part of the Examiner.

Should any questions arise in connection with this application or should the Examiner believe that a telephone conference with the undersigned would be helpful in resolving any remaining issues pertaining to this application the undersigned respectfully requests that he be contacted at the number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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